



PROJECT: Grand Calumet River Remedial Action Plan (RAP), Indiana

AUTHORIZATION: Section 401 of WRDA 1990 (PL 101-640)

TYPE: General Investigation

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The Grand Calumet River and Indiana Harbor and Canal have been identified as an area of concern under the Great Lakes Water Quality Agreement of 1978. PL 101-640 authorizes the Secretary of the Army to provide technical, planning and engineering assistance to states and local governments in the development and implementation of remedial action plans for areas of concern in the Great Lakes and requires non-federal interests to contribute at least 50 percent of such assistance. Under such an agreement with the local sponsor, the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM), the Chicago District is in the process of completing a water quality study of the basin.

The Chicago District is currently developing an agreement with IDEM for the second year's activities for gathering data and performing preliminary a Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) water quality analyses for the Grand Calumet River and Indiana Harbor and Canal. The analyses will be for five impaired reaches with as many as eight constituents per reach.

CURRENT STATUS: The Chicago District has met with IDEM, and the scope of work and memorandum of agreement are under review. It is anticipated that a final MOA will be signed, and work commenced by the beginning of March.

PROJECT COST:

FY 99 (\$400,000)

Federal Cost	\$200,000
Non-Federal In-Kind-Services	\$200,000

FY 00 (\$600,000)

Federal Cost	\$250,000
Non-Federal In-Kind-Services	\$350,000

FY 01 (\$1,000,000)

Federal	\$500,000
Non-Federal In-Kind-Services	\$500,000

FY 02 No funds in budget

BENEFITS: TBD

LOCAL SPONSOR: No funds in 2001

ISSUES/CONCERNS: None.

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